

TOWN OF FALMOUTH SHELLFISH AREAS EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 2017

All of the areas below are open to **FALMOUTH FAMILY and COMMERCIAL PERMIT HOLDERS** Monday through Sunday **EXCEPTION AS NOTED. THERE IS NO COMMERCIAL SHELLFISHING ON SUNDAYS.** For up to date recorded information call 508-495-7334.

HAMBLIN'S POND, SC-16: Falmouth side of Hamblin's Pond is open except for an area within 100 feet of either side of the Seconsett Rd in the creek at the border of Falmouth and Mashpee.

WAQUOIT BAY, SC-15: Open with restrictions: The use of Jerk rakes, bull rakes and "T" handle rakes is prohibited on the flat outside of the Moonakis River marked by 4 inch orange buoys. Falmouth permits may be used on the Mashpee side of the bay.

MOONAKIS RIVER, SC-15: South of a line from #226 Metoxit Road to #149 Meadow Neck Road as marked by "closed to shellfishing signs". Same rake restriction as Waquoit Bay.

EEL RIVER EAST, SC-14: South of a line drawn from Seaspray Drive to the "No shellfishing" sign on the beach at the end of Seapit Road.

EEL RIVER WEST, SC-14: South of a line from Eel River Road to Ormand.

BOURNE'S POND, SC-13: South of a line from Sailfish Drive to Paola Drive to a line from pole #290/7 Moonpenny Lane to #103 Bourne's Pond Road (north of Family Area).

FAMILY/RECREATIONAL AREA: South of a line from pole #290/7 Moonpenny Lane (Moonpenny Homeowners Interest Parcel 45-17-029-015) to #103 Bourne's Pond Road. NO COMMERCIAL SHELLFISHING IS ALLOWED. **FAMILY/RECREATIONAL AREA OPEN ON SATURDAY AND SUNDAY ONLY.**

CLOSED AREAS IN BOURNES POND:

- The waters of Bournes Pond located east of Moonpenny Lane in a 100-ft by 100-foot area are closed for seeding. **This area will be marked with a series of yellow buoys, marked with "Closed to Shellfishing".**
- The waters of Bournes Pond located north of a line from Sailfish Drive to Paola Drive & Israel's Cove west of a line from the boat ramp at Captain Davis Road to Upalong Rd. Jerk rakes, bull rakes and "T" handle rakes are prohibited in Bourne's Pond Drive.
- The waters of Bournes Pond located westerly of a 250-foot line drawn between a fixed white sign with red lettering located at the northern property line of 58 Crowell Ave (N 41° 34' 12.2"/W 70 33' 16") and the southern property line of 58 Crowell Ave (N 41° 34' 10"/W 70 33' 18"). **All lines within these areas will be marked with a series of 4-inch orange buoys.**
- The waters of Bournes Pond located easterly of a 450-foot line drawn between a fixed white sign with red lettering located at the osprey nest at the northern property line of 0 Central Ave. (Assessors Map 40 13 002 003) and the dock located 229 Central Ave (Assessors Map 40 13 003 004A). **All lines within these areas will be marked with a series of 4-inch orange buoys.**

GREAT HARBOR WOODS HOLE, SC-2: Outside of a line drawn from the Woos Hole Yacht Club to the NOAA pier on the point of land off Parker's Flat.

OUTER QUISSETT HARBOR, BB-58: South of a line drawn from the southernmost point of the Quissett Knob to the National Academy of Sciences property.

MEGANSETT HARBOR, BB-50:

FAMILY/RECREATIONAL AREA: Located in front of the public beach from the northern harbor jetty to the town property line out to 100' offshore. **FAMILY/RECREATIONAL AREA OPEN SATURDAY AND SUNDAY ONLY.**

Inside harbor closes May 31, 2017.

All coastal areas outside of the rivers, bays and harbors that meet the water quality standards to be open to shellfishing.

ALL AREAS NOT LISTED AS OPEN HEREIN ARE CLOSED.

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